

## NEBRASKA SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL (SEAC)

## SEAC PRIORITIES\* 2020 through 2025

- 1. To participate in the development, review and revision of The State Systemic Improvement Plan Process with input on the Targeted Improvement Plan implementation at the local level to improve results for students with disabilities in the following areas:
  - Impact Area 1: Improving Academic Achievement, Functional Outcomes and Child Outcomes in Natural and Inclusive Environments
  - Impact Area 2: Improving Communication and Relationships Among Families, Schools, Communities and Agencies
  - Impact Area 3: Improving Transitions from the Early Development Network to Preschool and School to Adult Living
- 2. To review the effectiveness of the current State Performance Plan (SPP) through the analysis of data in the Annual Performance Report (APR) to determine that Nebraska is demonstrating continuous improvement in the compliance and results indicators. To inform the NDE in the development and improvement of The LEA level Determinations.
- 3. To monitor state and federal legislation, including the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) and the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) to assure the linkage between ESSA and IDEA.
- 4. To inform NDE The Office of Special Education in initiatives that are relevant to both federal and state priorities within special education, specific to:
  - Health/Medical
  - Family and Professionals Support
  - <u>Discipline/Behavior - Suspension/Expulsion</u>
  - Mental Health
  - Social/Emotional Learning
  - Transition Supports

<sup>\*</sup> Approved by SEAC – August 2019